

**Plessy vs.
Ferguson**

Supreme Court
ruled establishing
the "Separate but
Equal" concept

**Brown vs
Board of
Education**

Supreme Court
ruled schools
must intergrate

**Little Rock
Nine**

an attempt to intergrate
Central High - Arkansas
Gov. tried to stop the
children - Eisenhower
enforced ruling

**Kerner
Commission**

Organized to
determine the cause
of urban violence -
Stated the cause
was white racism

**Civil Rights
Act of 1964**

**prohibited
discrimination
in all public
facilities**

**Voting
Rights Act
of 1965**

**removed the
Literacy Test
voting
requirement**

**24th
Amendment**

**Removed the
poll tax voting
requirement**

**De facto
Segregation**

**Segregation
by tradition
or custom**

De jure
Segregation

Segregation
by law

Montgomery
Bus Boycott

A protest by
Montgomery citizens to
intergrate the busses -
they did not ride the bus
for about a year

Rosa
Parks

refused to give up
her seat on the bus
- associated with
the Civil Rights
Movement

World War
II and Civil
Rights

Veterans returned
wanting equality - no
discrimination in the
military - African
Americans got better
jobs

**Martin
Luther
King, Jr.**

**Non-violent
leader of the
civil rights
movement**

**Jim Crow
Laws**

**Segregation
Laws**

**Southern
Manifesto**

**issued by Southern
Congressmen to
delay intergration
in the South**

**Freedom
Summer**

**Organized to help
register African
Americans to vote
by teaching them
to read**

**Malcolm
X**

a leader in the
Nation of Islam
- Worked for
civil rights

**Brown
II**

An extension of
Brown vs. Board of
Education stating
that schools must
intergrate ASAP

**James
Meredith**

First African
American to
atttend Ole
Miss

**Fannie Lou
Hamer**

Civil Rights
worker - lead the
Freedom
Democratic Party

**Thurgood
Marshall**

NAACP lawyer
trying civil rights
cases - Brown vs.
Board is his most
famous

**Stokely
Carmichael**

SNCC leader -
strayed from
King's
non-violent ways

**Black
Panthers**

Political party
supporting
armed self
defense

**Affirmative
Action**

required organizations
(schools, work) to
reserve a certain
number of positions for
discriminated groups

Medgar
Evers

Leader of MS
NAACP - he
was murdered
at his home

Byron de la
Beckwith

murdered
Medgar
Evers

Emmett
Till

young African
American boy
murdered in
Money, MS

James
Earl Ray

Assassinated
Martin Luther
King, Jr

**Civil Rights
Act of 1968**

**banned
discrimination
in housing**

**Selma to
Montgomery
March**

**a protest march
to call attention
to the need for a
voting rights act**

**Robert
Moses**

**organized the
"Freedom
Summer"
project**

Sit-Ins

**Non violent form
of protest causing
strong reactions
from the crowd**